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Senate Resolution 643

By: Senator Harp of the 29th

ADOPTED

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Recognizing January 24, 2006, as "LaGrange College Day" in the State of Georgia and
- 2 celebrating the 175th anniversary of LaGrange College; and for other purposes.
- 3 WHEREAS, since 1831, LaGrange College has been challenging students' minds, inspiring
- 4 their souls, and shaping their lives; and
- 5 WHEREAS, LaGrange College is a four-year liberal arts and sciences institution offering 50
- 6 academic and preprofessional programs and graduate degrees in education and business; and
- 7 WHEREAS, LaGrange College is affiliated with the United Methodist Church and is ranked
- 8 by U.S. News and World Report among the South's top comprehensive colleges and in that
- 9 category's top ten best values; and
- 10 WHEREAS, over 1,000 students, representing 20 states and 12 countries, attend LaGrange
- 11 College; and
- 12 WHEREAS, LaGrange College is committed to the free, uninhibited pursuit of truth, and
- 13 academic freedom and free expression by faculty and students are integral to the LaGrange
- 14 College ethos; and
- 15 WHEREAS, LaGrange College strives to be a caring and ethical community and the
- hallmark of the community is the quest for civility, diversity, service, and excellence.
- 17 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF
- 18 GEORGIA that this body does hereby declare January 24, 2006, to be "LaGrange College"
- 19 Day" in the State of Georgia and all the citizens of Georgia are urged to take cognizance of
- 20 this event and participate fittingly in the observance of its 175th anniversary.

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1 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed

2 to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to the President of LaGrange College.